

Postoffice Hours.
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Columbia mail closes at 10 A. M. and the Charleston mail at half-past 6 P. M. On Tuesdays and Fridays a mail for Feltville, Vaneas Ferry and Holly Hill closes at half-past 7 A. M. On Fridays a mail for Knott's Mills, Witte Mills and Rishes' Store closes at half-past 2 P. M.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., JUNE 25, 1880.

Notice.—We have made arrangements with the proprietors of the *News and Courier* to club their mammoth Weekly with the *Democrat* at \$3 per annum, for both papers, cash in advance.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.—Annual clearing sale at Henry Kohn's. Balance of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Notions, etc., will be sold from this date regardless of cost.

FINISHED.—The fine cottage of Dr. W. F. Barton, on Church street, is completed, and is both an ornament and decided improvement to that locality. It will make a pleasant home for a family.

PERSONAL.—The Rev. W. R. Richardson, of the Darlington Station, is on a short visit to friends in town. We hope we will have the pleasure of hearing him preach before he returns to his charge.

DROUGHT.—We learn that drought is prevailing to such an extent in the lower portion of Colleton County that the corn is dying in the fields, the creeks are all dried up and cattle are being watered from the wells.

TRADE.—Our merchants are doing more than an average business for this season, which is a proof of the confidence our farmers have in their growing crops and of the general improvement in the trade of the town.

The lonely vigils of the night are terrible, especially by the bedside of the sick, and it is just the thing to have a bottle of Coussens' Honey of Tar to cure their coughs, cold, croup, etc. Price 50c. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

EDGEFIELD Co., S. C., April 9, 1879.—Dr. L. T. Hill.—I certify that I have used your Hepatic Panacea, for diseases of Liver and Dyspepsia. I can safely say that it has benefited me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. 16. P. Addison. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

A bachelor suffering with a cold was handed a dose of Coussens' Honey of Tar by his sister. "What is it?" he asked. "Elixir Asthmaticus," he replied. "You are very sistermatic." Down went Honey of Tar and cured his cough. Price 50c. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

MELONS.—Our country friends are telling us about the large crop of fine watermelons they have now maturing. In a few cases ripe melons have been plucked and the crop promises to be an abundant one. The *Democrat*, however, would like to have some tangible proof of all this. Hear-say don't suit a man fond of fine fruit.

WHITE is King—has the finest finished woodwork and is the best made machine in the market. Its shuttle is self-threading, its needle is self-setting, its bobbin can be filled without removing work or attachment; so simply constructed and light-running, that a child can use it. Warranted for 5 years. For further particulars call on Henry Kohn.

COTTON GINS AND PRESSES.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Bull & Scoville in this issue. They advertise the celebrated Winslow Gins and Cotton Presses, which stands unrivaled for the purposes for which they manufactured. Our farmers would do well to call and examine these gins and presses before purchasing.

RAIN NEEDED.—The need of rain is pretty generally felt through many sections of the county and will entail serious loss to the crops if not had in a few days. At this season when corn is developing the grain, a drought of only a few days becomes a very serious matter. We hope, however, the later rains may fall as well as the former and an abundant crop may reward the efforts of our farmers.

NINETY-SIX, S. C., April 14, 1879.—Dr. L. T. Hill.—I have been suffering from indigestion and dyspepsia for some time; had no appetite, and was very restless at night. I purchased a bottle of your Hepatic Panacea, and was surprised how rapidly I improved after taking a few doses. I used one bottle, and now I rest well at night and have a good appetite. B. J. Spratt. For sale by S. A. Reeves.

DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT.—A new and dangerous \$100 bill on the National Exchange Bank of Baltimore is reported as being in circulation, purporting to be one of the series of 1875, and printed on excellent imitation of Government paper. The plate is the one on which was printed the \$100 counterfeit on the Pittsburg National Bank of Commerce. The Treasury department advises the refusal of all \$100 bills on the Baltimore bank until they have been examined by an expert.

BREVITIES.—How do you like the ticket? These are the days that try men's paper collars.

For a first-class five-cent cigar go to Joseph Eros'. The river is extremely low and fish is powerful scarce. Linen dusters and fans have been in demand this week.

Occasionally a commercial tourist pays our burg a visit.

Mrs. D. E. Glover is having her residence neatly painted.

Town improvements, in the way of cleaning drains, &c., are progressing finely.

For a refreshing drink these warm days try Dr. Wannamaker's soda water.

Butterick Metropolitan Fashions for July are now ready at Henry Kohn's.

Mr. S. R. Mellichamp has been put in nomination for School Commissioner.

Our streets are growing dusty and disagreeable. Would we had a watering cart.

Select your partners for the lecture Monday night, boys. You will be pleased.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral—the world's great remedy for Colds, Coughs and Consumption.

Orangeburg has several mutual admiration societies with a limited membership of two.

Oh, for a retreat in some vast wilderness where the buzz of the mosquito is never heard.

The three brick stores in course of construction on Russell street are to have iron fronts.

Orangeburg Lodge, No. 1,462, K. of H., held their regular meeting on next Monday evening.

Joseph Eros has a large and finely assorted stock of fresh candies on hand. Give him a call.

Mr. B. P. Izlar is editing the *Times* during the absence of the editor. We welcome him to the tripod.

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. J. S. Albergetti, who has been quite sick, is rapidly improving.

We wouldn't like to say that any one lied, but there are some people who handle the truth fearfully recklessly.

Yes, it is warm, we know, but is that any reason why every fellow you meet should ask, "Is this hot enough for you?"

A little girl parsing the word "angel," coming to the gender, asked the teacher if "there are any men angels." Hardly any.

Sickness, which prevailed so extensively a few weeks ago, has abated and comparative health is restored to our community.

Another consignment of those celebrated Fly Traps just received at Kort-joh's. Call at once if you would secure one of these blessings.

We had the pleasure of a call from Messrs. D. E. Hydrick and B. H. Moss, students of Wofford, who are home spending their vacation.

Mr. P. G. Cannon has recently refitted up his store and replenished his stock. He is now prepared to serve his customers as of old.

We hear of several fishing excursions being organized for both the Congaree and the Santee Rivers in the near future. Success to all.

The Superintendent of the Census, decides that the enumerators must make their entries in standard black ink, and nothing else will answer.

No man can truly say he is happy and healthy, and that he loves everybody, when he owes a year's subscription to a newspaper and has horns.

The members of the Edisto Brass Band are certainly first-class "blowers," if we judge by the excellent music they furnish on every occasion.

Gen. James F. Izlar, D. G. M. of South Carolina, laid the corner stone of the King's Mountain Monument with Masonic honors on last Wednesday.

Those of us who failed to secure the company of a lady for the moonlight picnic went "alone" and "divided time" with those of our more fortunate brethren who did.

We vote the moonlight picnic a grand success. It was pretty generally attended by the young folks, and every one seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. When, oh! when shall we have another!

MONOLOGUE ENTERTAINMENT.—Miss Louise Clarke, a gifted Southern lady, will give a Monologue Entertainment at Boliver's Hall, next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. She has appeared in Savannah, Augusta and other Southern cities, winning flattering encomiums from the press, as a fine reader. We bespeak for Miss Clark a full house.

STILL UNSETTLED.—You may talk about your fifteen puzzle being hard to work out, and no doubt it is, but the hardest puzzle the Orangeburg public has had to contend with yet is the prettiest young lady in town. At every fair this vexed question comes up, and the boys pitch in and vote early and often with the hope that it will be settled then and there forever. But no use. In a very short time the decision is set aside, and at the very first opportunity they are called upon to vote again on the same old question. Let us hope that the vote the other evening at the moonlight picnic has definitely settled the matter for a few months at least.

Y. M. C. A.—In consequence of the exhibition of Sheridan's School there will be no meeting of the Association this evening.

On Sunday afternoon a service will be held at the rooms at half-past six o'clock, to which all are invited.

On next Tuesday evening the Bible class will meet at half-past 8 o'clock.

The Executive Committee are requested to meet at the room on Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

MISSIONARY NOTICE.—The Orangeburg Association having appointed me missionary, with directions that I should visit all her churches in the Fork of Edisto, this notice is to ask the brethren and pastors of our churches to give notice of their protracted meetings; also of destitute places, with the sick and afflicted of our people. If invited, I will be glad to visit churches that are not of our Association. Your brother, W. F. CHAPLIN, Orangeburg, S. C.

A SIGN.—When you see a man button-holing another now, it's a sign that he is anxious to serve "the dear people." At the earnest solicitation of his friends and at great personal sacrifice, he has consented that his name may be used in the next Convention. He may be a captain, a major or a colonel, (privates seldom aspire,) with a "war record," but never mind for all this. Find out if he has always been "sound on the goose." If not give him the "cold shoulder."

EXHIBITION.—The annual exhibition of Sheridan's Classical School will take place this evening at half past eight o'clock in the Courthouse. The exercises will be varied by declamation, music, etc., and the public are promised an entertainment fully up to the high standard of this school. The music will be furnished by the Edisto band and for the payment of which a collection will be raised early in the evening. Our citizens both from town and country are cordially invited to attend. Come early and secure comfortable seats as the exercises will commence at half past eight o'clock sharp.

COMPOUND EXTRACT BUCHU, composed of buchu leaves, dandelion root, acetate potash, juniper berries, pariciza brava, and calisotonia root. All of which are highly valued diuretics, kidney stimulants and depurants. The failure of the actions of the kidneys is a source of many distressing diseases. This medicine produces a hearty action of the kidneys, removes from the blood the urea and uric acid, which if allowed to remain and accumulate would induce rheumatism, gouty affections, pains in back and loins. This valuable medicine is for sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker. Price 75 cents per bottle.

SOUND ADVICE.—Young man, when you see anything you want, ask for it like a man. If you want to borrow five dollars of a man, or if you only want to marry his daughter, don't slide up to him and hang on to your hat and talk politics and religion and weather, and tell old stale jokes whereof you can't remember the point, until you worry the old man into a nervous irritation. Go at him with a full head of steam. Then you will fetch him. Or, possibly, he may fetch you. But never mind; you'll accomplish something, and show you are not afraid to speak what is on your mind. And that's a great deal more than you would accomplish by the other method.

EXAMINATION.—The annual examination of Sheridan's Classical School closed yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. The attendance of our citizens from both county and town was most gratifying to the Principal and the exercises, he trusts, entertaining to the visitors. The examination on every branch was thorough and right handsomely the students stood the test, reflecting credit alike upon themselves and their school. Mr. Wm. Stokes, of Tennessee, at the request of the Principal tested the training of several classes by a most searching examination which gave perfect satisfaction to himself and the large audience in attendance. The exhibition to-night will be a fitting close to the week's interesting exercises and a pleasant send-off to the two months' vacation upon which both teachers and students will enter.

PUBLIC LECTURE.—We take pleasure in calling the attention of the citizens of Orangeburg to what we are sure will prove a rare treat. Mr. Samuel W. Trotti, of Barnwell, who is well known as an accomplished orator and polished scholar, proposes to deliver a lecture in Orangeburg at the Courthouse, on the evening of the 28th instant. His subject will be an interesting and novel one, and we know will be treated in a masterly manner: "The Chivalric Character or the Model Man." The object of the lecture is to raise funds for the benefit of the "monumental association" in its effort to place a tombstone over the remains of Carolina's great historic novelist, William Gilmore Simms. The name of Mr. Simms would be sufficient to excite the enthusiasm and interest of Orangeburg, by Mr. Simms' works, has probably been more illustrated than any other county in the State, as the scenes of his best books are laid in this county. The topography of the county and some of her best character have been brought out by the master hand of Simms. Let the people of Orangeburg not be backward in availing themselves of this opportunity of aiding in placing this mark upon the last resting place of the great novelist, and the real historian of the county. Admission 25 cents; lecture to begin at half-past 8 o'clock.

"GIVE THEM A REST."—We print the following sad appeal by request: "The young ladies of our town—the unengaged young ladies—are so few in comparison to the number of court-ing young men, that they are nearly courted out of their senses, and the town appeals to some of her sisters, cousins or aunts to lend it about forty young ladies until cold weather returns again in order that the afore-said unengaged young ladies may get a little recreation." We publish the above with pleasure, understanding it of a young lady who is in imminent danger of being "courtied to death," and what death could be more horrible. We hope our "courtied" young men will take the "hint" and give these "unhappy" courtied, "unengaged" young ladies time to "recreate" a little, whether our sister towns respond to the appeal or not. *Verbum sat sapienti.*

DEATH.—A gloom of intense sadness was thrown over this community last Monday afternoon when it was known that Frank L. Porter, Esq., had breathed his last. We do not remember to have met elsewhere one who, at his early time of life, possessed to so high a degree as young Porter, all the more pleasing and sterling virtues of manhood. Possessed of rare quickness and a taste for study, he enjoyed the rare benefit, in boyhood and youth, of a careful training by his father, the late E. J. Porter, Esq., a brilliant lawyer, endowed with a vigorous, eclectic, literary talent, carefully nurtured by thorough education imparted in his native country, Ireland. Frank L. Porter, Esq., who was admitted to the bar last spring, was but a few months over twenty-seven years of age, and had he lived to exert properly the good gifts which God had bestowed upon him would have made an honorable mark among his fellowmen. The immediate cause of his untimely end was congestion of the liver. The above, which we clip from the *Kings-tree Star*, was the first intimation we had of the death of a very near and dear friend. It is hard for us to realize that his noble young heart has been stilled by the icy hand of death. One by one the links in friendship's golden chain are broken, and familiar voices will greet our coming no more forever. Over his new made grave we drop the tear of genuine sorrow, and for his memory we will ever cherish the deepest veneration.

Branchville Dots.

From *Our Own Reporter*. Mr. W. F. Syphrett has started to rebuild his store, which burned last March.

Messrs. Carter & Connor, photographers, are in town. They make good pictures.

Mr. Loryea expects to rebuild soon a store twenty by sixty feet; also, a large grain house.

There is talk of putting up a Clements Attachment here time enough for this year's crop.

Mr. H. L. Connor, our enumerator, is progressing finely with his work, and expects to get through this week.

The Branchville Eating House has undergone a thorough renovation, which adds greatly to its appearance.

A disease is prevailing among the hogs called enlargement of the lites, which has destroyed a great many choice porkers.

We congratulate Mr. Ligon, our congenial and accommodating railroad agent and telegraph operator, on having gotten into his new office.

Mr. E. T. R. Smoak has the contract for building the Methodist Church in this place. He commenced it and expects to complete it by the last of September or first of October.

The colored portion of our community are carrying on two "big meetings"—one in the Baptist and one in the African Methodist Church. It is to be hoped they will result in great good.

The following officers of Friendship Lodge, No. 1495, K. of H., were elected recently to serve the ensuing term: Jas. R. Ligon, D.; R. Lewis Berry, V. D.; F. A. Bruce, A. D.; J. P. Bruce, G.; Rev. Thos. Rayson, C.; A. B. Coburn, R.; S. S. Walters, F. R.; A. F. H. Dukes, T.; John C. Reeves, G.; E. T. R. Smoak, S.; Dr. O. H. Ott, P. D. and Medical Examiner.

Two inquests were held near this place—one on the 1st and the other on the 9th instant. The verdict of the jury in the former case was that the deceased came to his death by accidental drowning, and in the latter that the deceased came to her death by being run over by the New York Express Train, no blame being attached to the railroad officials or employees. The deceased was total ly deaf.

JAS. F. IZLAR,
Attorney and Counsellor
At Law,
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
Office corner Court House Square and Church street, the same lately owned and occupied by Wm. M. Hutson, Esq. June 11, 1880—1f

ANDREW C. DIBBLE,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
Corner St. Paul and Church Sts.
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
April 23—3mos.

SAMUEL DIBBLE,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
(Cor. Church & St. Paul's Street.)
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
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GOOD NEWS

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GLORIOUS NEWS!!
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DRY GOODS'
EMPORIUM.
GREAT TUMBLE
IN DRY GOODS.

Calicoes at Six and a Quarter Cents.
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New and Fashionable Goods received every week.

Ladies' Linen Suits,
Linen Ulsters,
White Lawn Basques,
Neatly trimmed from \$1.25 up.

GREAT ASSORTMENT
OF
Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Gloves,
Carols, Buckles, Neck Ties in all the late styles and very low in prices.

We invite particular attention to our immense stock of
DRESS GOODS

Latest Novelties being constantly added.

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Selling out and Cheap.

Remember we have the finest, best and lowest priced

GENTS' CLOTHING,

HATS, SHIRTS, SHOES, and

NECK WEAR,

And don't forget to call at

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Orangeburg, S. C., Oct. 19, 1879.

A NEW STORE.

F. A. SCHIFFLEY,

RUSSELL STREET,

(One door above Dr. Patrick's.)

CHOICE GROCERIES.

I HEREBY INFORM MY FRIENDS

that I have on my own account, com-

menced a Grocery Business—will keep

only the best goods, and sell cheap for

Cash, and any patronage bestowed will

be appreciated. Respectfully,

F. A. SCHIFFLEY,

ORANGEBURG, S. C.

May 14, 1880 3m.

J. DEE ANDREWS

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens

of Orangeburg that he has in

charge the stock and fixtures of Z. J.

King, at Wallace Cannon's old stand,

Main street, where he will be glad to serve

his line of trade. Everything fresh

and pure and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

A full line of goods kept constantly

on hand. Born and raised in Orange-

burg, I hope to receive a liberal share of

the patronage of my fellow citizens.

J. DEE ANDREWS.

BLACKBERRY BRANDY at Wallace

Cannon's old stand.

Pure CORN and RYE Whiskies for

sale at Wallace Cannon's old stand.

For pure Champagne Lager Beer go

to Wallace Cannon's old stand. Families

supplied by the dozen—goods delivered

free of charge.

Seltzer Water, for disarrangement

of the bowels and kidneys, for sale low at

Wallace Cannon's old stand.

The "Cotton Boll," the finest five cent

Cigar in town, for sale at Wallace Canon-

n's old stand. Don't forget it.

Soda Water, fresh, by the bottle, at

Wallace Cannon's old stand.

May 23, 1880—1y

DO you suffer with headache?

DO you feel dull and languid?

DOes your appetite fail you?

DOes your liver out of order?

DO you have a metallic taste in your

mouth?

DO you have dyspepsia or indigestion?

If so, take

DR. C. SIMMONS'

HEPATIC

COMPOUND

OR LIVER CURE,

And get immediate relief. It never fails.

as hundreds will testify who have used

it and have been benefited. It is entirely

vegetable, certain in its effects, and

absolutely harmless. One trial will con-

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For Sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker

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April 23—6ms.

The Taylor Gin.

THIS superior Cotton Gin is closely
imitated by other gins, but having
secured its patent, name by a decree of
court the makers control the features of
original merit and have added all the
latest improvements. It now has the
patent round breast, the brush belt is
self adjusting, its speed is at the highest
point, and it runs as light, as any first
class gin.

THE TAYLOR GIN

IS THE CHEAPEST.

IT IS THE MOST COMPLETE,

and

IT IS THE MOST DURABLE.

Orders were refused at the factory last
year as they came in too late. Order
soon from